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## Patient Screening Process for Prevention of COVID 19 Transmission Effective 03/13/20

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**\*All persons entering the facility shall be asked the following questions\***

*Question 2 may be updated in the future as the CDC updates the transmission status designation of countries. OSC will communicate these changes to the field.*

1. **Do you have symptoms of respiratory infection (fever, cough, or shortness of breath)?**
    - If answer is **NO** – Proceed to the next question
    - If answer is **YES** – Patient will not be accepted to OhioMHAS Regional Psychiatric Hospital until medical clearance is obtained and results from COVID-19 test have been obtained, and are negative **OR** until COVID-19 is ruled out with physician attestation obtained.
  
  2. **Have you travelled outside of the United States to any of the following countries within the past 14 days: China, Iran, Italy, Japan, South Korea?**
    - If answer is **NO** – Proceed to the next question
    - If answer is **YES**:
    - Patient will not be accepted to OhioMHAS Regional Psychiatric Hospital until medical clearance is obtained and results from COVID-19 test have been obtained, and are negative **OR** until COVID-19 is ruled out with physician attestation obtained.
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  3. **Check to see if the patient has a temperature of 100.4 degrees Fahrenheit or greater.**
    - If the answer is **NO** – The patient may be accepted based on standard medical clearance
      - If the answer is **YES** - Patient will not be accepted to OhioMHAS Regional Psychiatric Hospital until medical clearance is obtained and results from COVID-19 test have been obtained, and are negative **OR** until COVID-19 is ruled out with physician attestation obtained.
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